

Subject: Cleft Palate Bottles

Effective Date: July 1, 2010

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**Policy Statement:**

Infants/children with cleft palate may have difficulty using a standard bottle for feeding. To provide the child with needed nourishment, CYSHCN will make special feeding bottles a treatment service.

CYSHCN may authorize up to four (4) bottles/feeders per child at the time the family/provider indicates that a special feeding bottle/feeder is needed.